

For Immediate Release

Thursday, March 6, 2008

Arizona Department of Public Safety trying to locate semitruck involved in a hit and run pedestrian collision

On Wednesday, March 5, 2008, at around 3:23 p.m., a westbound semi-truck struck a pedestrian on Interstate 40 near Flagstaff. A white male wearing a tan shirt and blue jeans ran into the right westbound lane in front of the semi-truck. After hitting the man, the semi-truck did not stop. Witnesses describe the vehicle as a red tractor with an empty car hauler trailer. There was no company name on the side. It was last seen westbound on I-40, leaving the scene.

Surrounding agencies were given the description but could not find the vehicle. There could possibly be blood or human tissue stuck to the right side of the truck and or trailer.

DPS seeks the driver for his connection with the hit and run, not for causing the collision.

If you have information about the whereabouts of this semi-truck and/or its driver, please contact Officer Nathan Gould or Detective Stephen Robson at the Arizona Department of Public Safety Flagstaff Office (928) 773-3700.